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Re: Applicant(s): McCall et al.  
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For: FUEL DISPENSING SYSTEM  
Docket No.: 52646-00407USP3

Dear Sir:

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1. Information Disclosure Statement
2. Form PTO-1449
3. References A1 - A37, and B1-B6
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The Examiner is respectfully requested to consider each of the cited references, indicate such consideration by initialing each reference on the enclosed Form PTO-1449 (modified) and return a copy of the same with the next communication to the Applicant. For the convenience of the Examiner in considering the references, copies of the cited references are enclosed with this communication.

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